[श्री बीरेन जे० शाह]

I support his contentions. He is very correct.

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH (West Bengal): I would like to know what the Committee on Papers Laid on the Table was doing?

श्री सीताराम केसरी : डिले हुआ है, यह ठीक है, मगर क्यों डिले हुआ है, हम इनको देखेंगे ।

उपसभापति : जो कमेटी है, पेपर्स लेड आन दि टेबल,

I direct that they should look after it... (*Interruptions*)... Now, they will look after it... (*Interruptions*)...

SHRI YASHWANT SINHA (Bihar): Why a statement?

SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: They must give reasons for the delay.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: There must have been reasons for the delay. If they are not mentioned, I will ask the Minister to come out with a statement tomorrow... (*Interruptions*)...

Now, Mr. P. Chidambaram.

श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय : डिले के कारण के साथ ही रखते तो अच्छा रख नहीं सकते ।

I. Report and Accounts (1989-90) of the India Tea and Restaurants Limited, Bombay, and related papers.

II. Report and Accounts (1989-90) of the Marine Products Export Development Authority, Cochin and related papers.

III. Report and Accounts (1989-90) of the Tea Board, Calcutta and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table:—

I. (1) A copy each in (English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the India Tea and Restaurants Limited, Bombay, for the year 1989-90, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the Company.

(2) Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—16/91]

II. (1) A copy each (in Hindi and Hindi) of the following papers under sub-section (3) of section 22 of the Marine Products Export Development Authority Act, 1972:—

(i) Eighteenth Annual Report of the Marine Products Export Development Authority, Cochin, for the year 1989-90.

(ii) Annual Accounts of the Marine Products Export Development Authority, Cochin, for the year 1989-90 and the Audit Report thereon.

(iii) Review by Government on the working of the Authority.

(2) Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—18/91]

III. A copy each (in Hindi and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) Thirty-sixth Annual Report of the Tea Board, Calcutta, for the year 1989-90.

(ii) Annual Accounts of the Tea Board, Calcutta, for the year 1989-90 and the Audit Report thereon.

(iii) Review by Government on the working of the Tea Board.

(iv) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (i) and (ii) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—19/91]

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I say, the Government must be having reasons for the delay. The Minister should come out with a statement.

SHRI VIREN J. SHAH: When he will give that? Please direct him when he should do that.

SHRI MURASOLI MARAN (Tamil Nadu): It cannot be laid on the Table without quoting reasons for the delay.

SHRI DEPEN GHOSH: It is a procedural matter.

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): If you read the item listed under Papers to be laid on the Table against Shri Sitaram Kesri, it clearly says : "..together with an explanatory note on the Report. ...(*Interruptions*)...

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH: What about the delay?

SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY (Andhra Pradesh): We are trying to know the reasons for the inordinate delay in laying the paper on the Table.

श्री सीताराम केसरी : इस संबंध में जो आप कहते है, कि डिले क्यो हुआ है इस संबंध में आपकी बातों को ध्यान मे रखकर के आपको मैं बता दूंगा ।

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: He will report that to the House.

SHRI P. UPENDRA (Andhra Pradesh): It should be withdrawn from the House.

SHRI MURASOLI MARAN: Let him take it back and come back to the House with a letter explaining the reasons for the delay. This is the procedure.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Are you objecting to the delay?

SHRI MURASOLI MARAN: The procedure is that he should not lay it.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, it has already been laid on the Table... (*Interruptions*)...Please listen to me... (*Interruptions*)...Mr. Balu, please sit down. All of you please sit down. Do you want me to give a ruling on this? Are you complaining about the delay? Now, he does not want to delay it any more in laying it also. Let the Minister come tomorrow and tell us about the delay.

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH: Madam, there is a procedure.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: All right. But the papers have been laid on the Table...(*Interruptions*)...The Minister will find out reasons for the delay and I assure you that he will take the House into confidence. Now, Shri Kamal Nath.

I. Notification appointing the 1st day of April, 1991 as the date on which the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991, shall come into force.

II. Notification publishing the Public Liability Insurance Rules, 1991

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): Sir, I lay on the Table, under sub-section (3)of section 23 of the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Environment and Forests:—

I. G.S.R. No. 253, dated the 13th April, 1991 appointing the 1st day of April, 1991, as the date on which the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991, shall come into force. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—29/91]

II. S.O. No. 330 (E), dated the 15th May, 1991, publishing the Public Liability Insurance Rules, 1991. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—30/91]